IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON FOR KITSAP COUNTY 1 2 RECEIVED FOR FILING 97-2-01749-3 NO. CITY OF BREMERTON, a KITSAP CQUINTY CLERK 3 Washington Municipal Corporation, JUL - 1 1997 4 ROBERT L. FREUDENSTEIN Plaintiff, 5 ANSWER OF DEFENDANTS 6 VS. 7 WILLIAM SESKO and NATASHA SESKO, and their marital 8 community, 9 Defendants. 10

COME NOW the defendants, William and Natasha Sesko, and, in answer to the allegations made by the plaintiff, respond as follows:

I. RESPONSES AND ANSWERS TO ALLEGATIONS

- 1. In answer to paragraph III.6, Defendants deny that they are maintaining an "illegal junkyard" and further deny that such use is "disallowed by the Bremerton Municipal Code";
- 2. In answer to paragraph III.11, Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the alegation contained in paragraph III.11, and therefore denies same.
- 3. In answer to paragraphs III.12 and III.13, Defendants deny that a junkyard "thwarts fulfillment of the City of Bremerton's zoning objectives for this area", and that "maintenance of a junkyard is an unsightly visual blight which impairs the aesthetic character of the area" because junkyards are a permitted use in the

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area subject to a Special Use Permit (SUP);

3. Defendants deny the allegations contained in paragraphs III.14 and III.15.

II. AFFIRMANTIVE DEFENSES AND ALLEGATIONS

By way further answer and affirmative defense, Defendants assert as follows:

- 1. In response to Plaintiff's first cause of action,
 Defendants assert that the action is untimely since the issue of
 whether Defendants have violated the Bremerton Municipal Code is
 still under administrative review;
- 2. In response to Plaintiff's second cause of action,
 Defendants assert that the action is untimely since the issue of
 whether Defendants have violated the Bremerton Municipal Code is
 still under administrative review;
- 3. In response to Plaintiff's third cause of action,
 Defendants assert that, because the issue of whether Defendants have
 violated the Bremerton Municipal Code is still under administrative
 review, the decision of the Planning Director is stayed under former
 BMC 21.01.945

WHEREFORE, the Defendants respectfully request that the Complaint be dismissed in its entirety and that the Defendants be awarded their costs and attorney's fees.

DATED, this 30th day of June, 1997.

By:

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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